

FIG. 2F

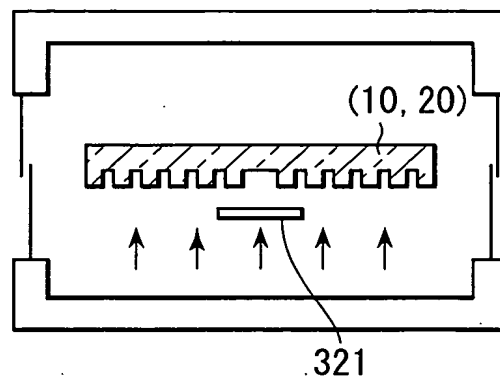


FIG. 2G

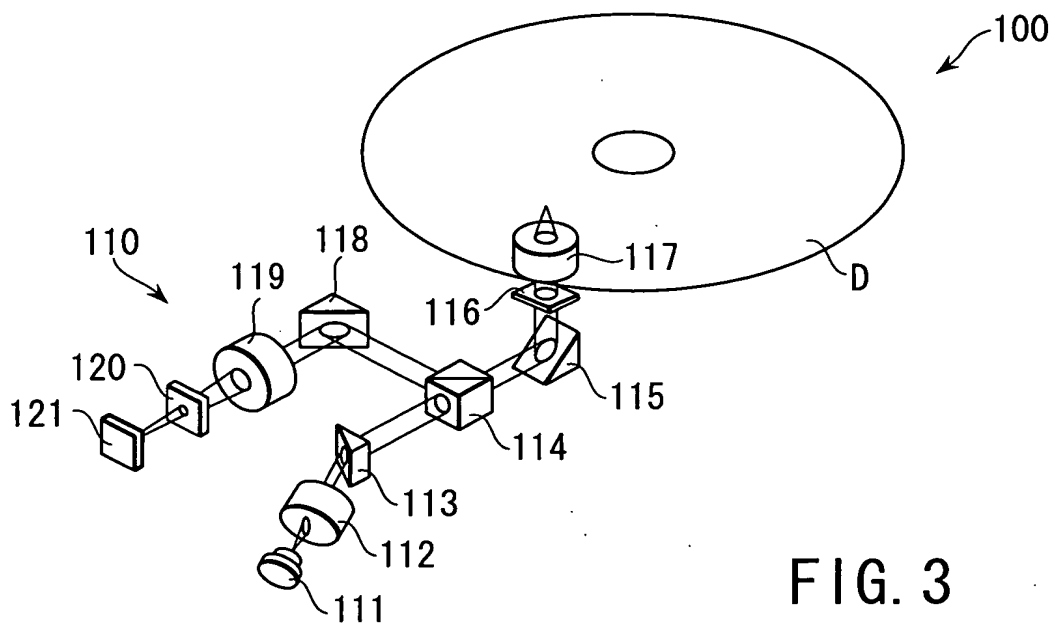


FIG. 3

FIG. 2H

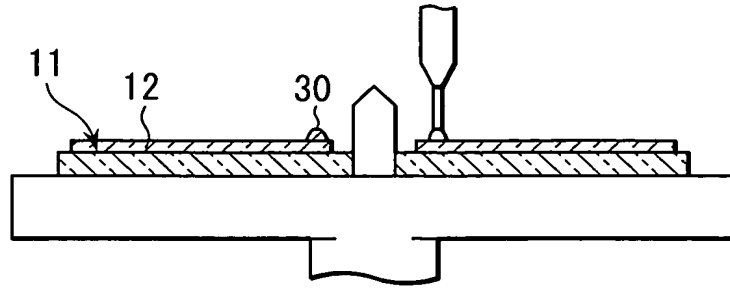


FIG. 2I

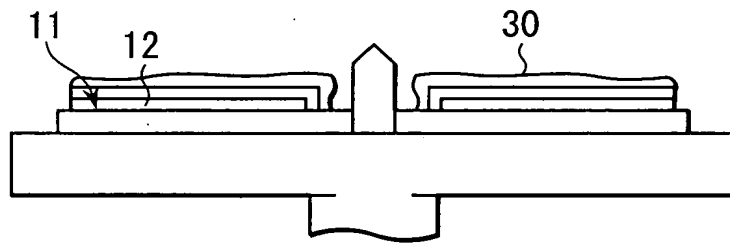


FIG. 2J

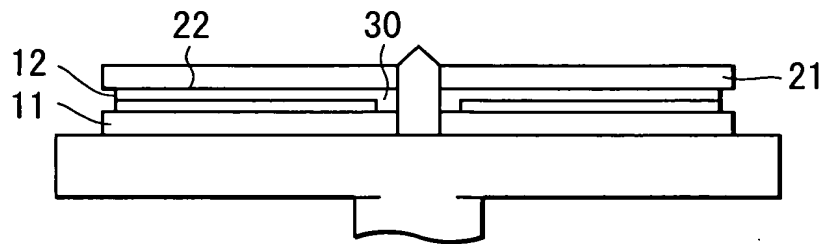
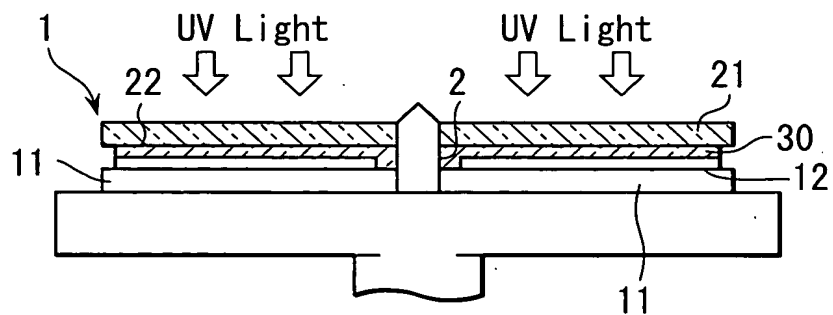


FIG. 2K



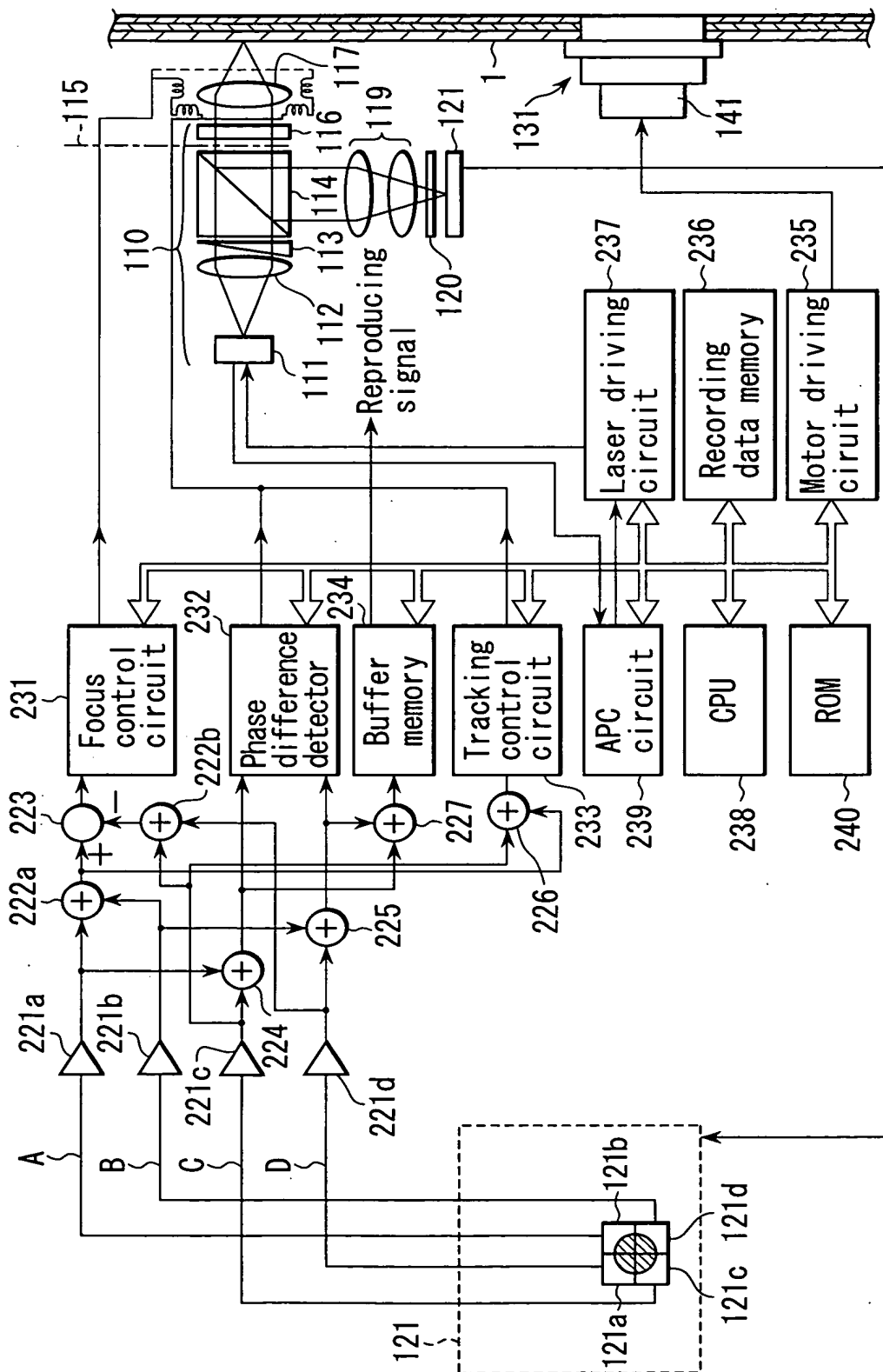


FIG. 4

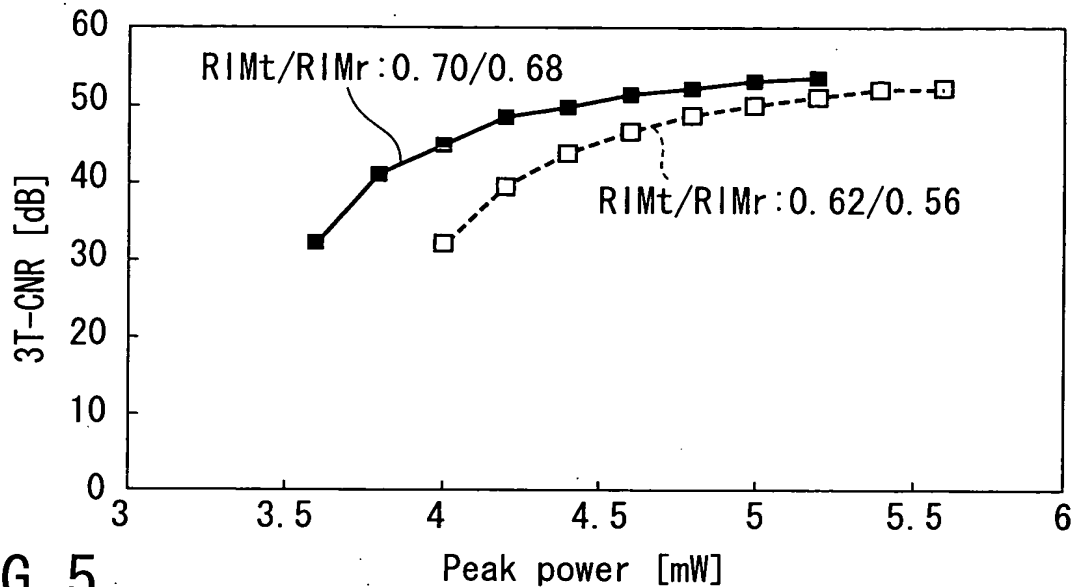


FIG. 5

Explanatory view of recording data density in each area of rewritable information recording medium

| Parameter   |                     | Single layer           |
|---|---------------------|------------------------|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• User data capacity</li> <li>• Wavelength of laser diode</li> <li>• Numerical aperture of objective lens</li> </ul> |                     | 20 Gbytes/side         |
|   |                     | 405 nm                 |
|   |                     | 0.65                   |
| • Data bit length   | System lead-in area | 0.306 $\mu$ m          |
|   | Data lead-in area   | 0.130 to 0.140 $\mu$ m |
|   | Data area           |                        |
|   | Data lead-out area  |                        |
| • Channel bit length  | System lead-in area | 0.204 $\mu$ m          |
|   | Data lead-in area   | 0.087 to 0.093 $\mu$ m |
|   | Data area           |                        |
|   | Data lead-out area  |                        |
| • Minimum mark length (2T)  | System lead-in area | 0.408 $\mu$ m          |
|   | Data lead-in area   | 0.173 to 0.187 $\mu$ m |
|   | Data area           |                        |
|   | Data lead-out area  |                        |
| • Maximum mark length (13T)   | System lead-in area | 2.652 $\mu$ m          |
|   | Data lead-in area   | 1.126 to 1.213 $\mu$ m |
|   | Data area           |                        |
|   | Data lead-out area  |                        |

FIG. 6A

|   |                     |  |
|---|---------------------|--|
| • Track pitch   | System lead-in area | 0.68 $\mu\text{m}$                                   |
|   | Data lead-in area   | 0.34 $\mu\text{m}$                                   |
|   | Data area           |  |
| • Physical address  | Data lead-out area  | *WAP<br>*WAP= Wobble Address<br>in Periodic position |
|   | Data lead-in area   |  |
|   | Data area           |  |
| • Disk diameter<br>• Disk thickness<br>• Central hole diameter<br>• Inner diameter of data area<br>• Data area diameter | Data lead-out area  | 120 mm   |
|   |                     | 1.20 mm  |
|   |                     | 15.0 mm  |
|   |                     | 24.1 mm  |
|   |                     | 57.89 mm   |
| • User data/sector<br>• Error correction code<br>• ECC constraint sector<br>• Modulation                                |                     | 2048 bytes   |
|   |                     | Read solomon product code                            |
|   |                     | RS (208, 192, 17)                                    |
|   |                     | $\times$ RS (182, 172, 11)                           |
|   |                     | 32 sector<br>ETM, RLL (1, 10)                        |
| • Correctable burst error length  | System lead-in area | 7.1 mm   |
| • Reference scanning speed  | Data lead-in area   | 6.0 mm   |
|   | Data area           |  |
|   | Data lead-out area  |  |
|   | System lead-in area | 6.61 m/s   |
|   | Data lead-in area   | 5.64 to 6.03 m/s                                     |
| • Channel bit rate with reference speed   | Data area           |  |
|   | Data lead-out area  |  |
|   | System lead-in area | 32.40 Mbps   |
| • User bit rate with reference speed  | Data lead-in area   | 64.80 Mbps   |
|   | Data area           |  |
|   | Data lead-out area  | 18.28 Mbps   |
| • User bit rate with reference speed  | System lead-in area | 18.28 Mbps   |
|   | Data lead-in area   | 36.55 Mbps   |
|   | Data area           |  |
|   | Data lead-out area  |  |

FIG. 6B

Explanatory view of data structure of lead-in area in rewritable information recording medium

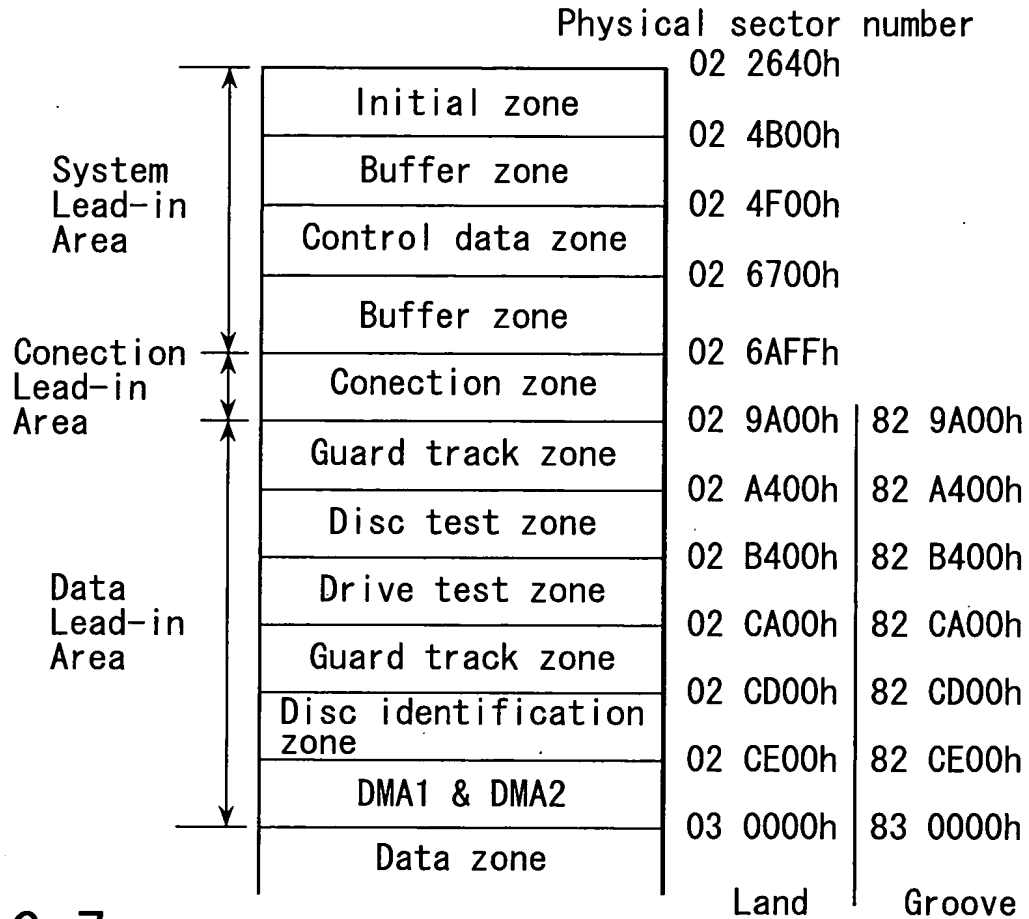


FIG. 7

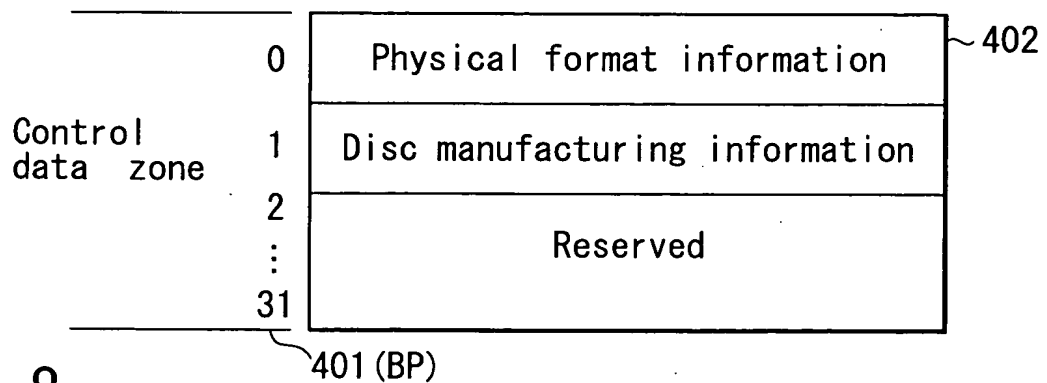


FIG. 8

| 501      | 502   | 503             |
|----------|---|-----------------|
| BP       | BP Contents                                     | Number of bytes |
| 0        | Book type and Part version                      | 1 byte          |
| 1        | Disc size and maximum transfer rate of the disc | 1 byte          |
| 2        | Disc structure                                  | 1 byte          |
| 3        | Recording density                               | 1 byte          |
| 4 to 15  | Data area allocation                            | 12 bytes        |
| 16       | BCA descriptor                                  | 1 byte          |
| 17 to 31 | reserved  | 15 bytes        |
| ...      | ...   | ...             |
| AZ(33)   | Velocity  | 1 byte          |
| BA(34)   | Rim intensity in tangential direction           | 1 byte          |
| BB(35)   | Rim intensity in radial direction               | 1 byte          |
| BC(36)   | Read power                                      | 1 byte          |
| BD(37)   | Peak power for land tracks                      | 1 byte          |
| BE(38)   | Bias power1 for land tracks                     | 1 byte          |
| BF(39)   | Bias power2 for land tracks                     | 1 byte          |
| BG(40)   | Bias power3 for land tracks                     | 1 byte          |
| Bn(41)   | Peak power for groove tracks                    | 1 byte          |
| RY       |   |                 |

FIG. 9A



|         |  |        |
|---------|--|--------|
| BX (42) | Bias power1 for groove tracks  | 1 byte |
| BY (43) | Bias power2 for groove tracks  | 1 byte |
| BZ (44) | Bias power3 for groove tracks  | 1 byte |
| CA (45) | First pulse end time for land tracks   | 1 byte |
| CB (46) | Multi pulse duration for land tracks   | 1 byte |
| CC (47) | Last pulse start time for land tracks  | 1 byte |
| CD (48) | Bias power2 duration for land tracks, Mark 2T                                    | 1 byte |
| CE (49) | Bias power2 duration for land tracks, Mark 3T                                    | 1 byte |
| CF (50) | Bias power2 duration for land tracks, Mark $\geq 4T$                             | 1 byte |
| CG (51) | First pulse start time for land tracks, Mark 2T, Leading Space 2T                | 1 byte |
| CH (52) | First pulse start time for land tracks, Mark 3T, Leading Space 2T                | 1 byte |
| CI (53) | First pulse start time for land tracks, Mark $\geq 4T$ , Leading Space 2T        | 1 byte |
| CJ (54) | First pulse start time for land tracks, Mark 2T, Leading Space 3T                | 1 byte |
| CK (55) | First pulse start time for land tracks, Mark 3T, Leading Space 3T                | 1 byte |
| CL (56) | First pulse start time for land tracks, Mark $\geq 4T$ , Leading Space 3T        | 1 byte |
| CM (57) | First pulse start time for land tracks, Mark 2T, Leading Space $\geq 4T$         | 1 byte |
| CN (58) | First pulse start time for land tracks, Mark 3T, Leading Space $\geq 4T$         | 1 byte |
| CO (59) | First pulse start time for land tracks, Mark $\geq 4T$ , Leading Space $\geq 4T$ | 1 byte |
| CP (60) | Last pulse end time for land tracks, Mark 2T, Trailing Space 2T                  | 1 byte |

FIG. 9B

|         |  |        |
|---------|--|--------|
| CQ (61) | Last pulse end time for land tracks, Mark 3T, Trailing Space 2T                | 1 byte |
| CR (62) | Last pulse end time for land tracks, Mark $\geq 4T$ , Trailing Space 2T        | 1 byte |
| Cu (63) | Last pulse end time for land tracks, Mark 2T, Trailing Space 3T                | 1 byte |
| Cv (64) | Last pulse end time for land tracks, Mark 3T, Trailing Space 3T                | 1 byte |
| Cw (65) | Last pulse end time for land tracks, Mark $\geq 4T$ , Trailing Space 3T        | 1 byte |
| CX (66) | Last pulse end time for land tracks, Mark 2T, Trailing Space $\geq 4T$         | 1 byte |
| CY (67) | Last pulse end time for land tracks, Mark 3T, Trailing Space $\geq 4T$         | 1 byte |
| CZ (68) | Last pulse end time for land tracks, Mark $\geq 4T$ , Trailing Space $\geq 4T$ | 1 byte |
| DA (69) | First pulse end time for groove tracks   | 1 byte |
| DB (70) | Multi pulse duration for groove tracks   | 1 byte |
| DC (71) | Last pulse start time for groove tracks  | 1 byte |
| DD (72) | Bias power2 duration for groove tracks, Mark 2T                                | 1 byte |
| DE (73) | Bias power2 duration for groove tracks, Mark 3T                                | 1 byte |
| DF (74) | Bias power2 duration for groove tracks, Mark $\geq 4T$                         | 1 byte |
| DG (75) | First pulse start time for groove tracks, Mark 2T, Leading Space 2T            | 1 byte |
| DH (76) | First pulse start time for groove tracks, Mark 3T, Leading Space 2T            | 1 byte |
| DI (77) | First pulse start time for groove tracks, Mark $\geq 4T$ , Leading Space 2T    | 1 byte |
| DJ (78) | First pulse start time for groove tracks, Mark 2T, Leading Space 3T            | 1 byte |
| DK      |  |        |

FIG. 9C

|                         |  |               |
|-------------------------|--|---------------|
| DK (79)                 | First pulse start time for groove tracks, Mark 3I, Leading Space 3I                | 1 byte        |
| DL (80)                 | First pulse start time for groove tracks, Mark $\geq 4I$ , Leading Space 3I        | 1 byte        |
| DM (81)                 | First pulse start time for groove tracks, Mark 2I, Leading Space $\geq 4I$         | 1 byte        |
| DN (82)                 | First pulse start time for groove tracks, Mark 3I, Leading Space $\geq 4I$         | 1 byte        |
| DO (83)                 | First pulse start time for groove tracks, Mark $\geq 4I$ , Leading Space $\geq 4I$ | 1 byte        |
| DP (84)                 | Last pulse end time for groove tracks, Mark 2I, Trailing Space 2I                  | 1 byte        |
| DQ (85)                 | Last pulse end time for groove tracks, Mark 3I, Trailing Space 2I                  | 1 byte        |
| DR (86)                 | Last pulse end time for groove tracks, Mark $\geq 4I$ , Trailing Space 2I          | 1 byte        |
| Du (87)                 | Last pulse end time for groove tracks, Mark 2I, Trailing Space 3I                  | 1 byte        |
| Dv (88)                 | Last pulse end time for groove tracks, Mark 3I, Trailing Space 3I                  | 1 byte        |
| Dw (89)                 | Last pulse end time for groove tracks, Mark $\geq 4I$ , Trailing Space 3I          | 1 byte        |
| DX (90)                 | Last pulse end time for groove tracks, Mark 2I, Trailing Space $\geq 4I$           | 1 byte        |
| DY (91)                 | Last pulse end time for groove tracks, Mark 3I, Trailing Space $\geq 4I$           | 1 byte        |
| DZ (92)                 | Last pulse end time for groove tracks, Mark $\geq 4I$ , Trailing Space $\geq 4I$   | 1 byte        |
| EA(93) to FZ(140)       | Disc manufacturer's name   | m(48) bytes   |
| GA(141) to Gn(156)      | Disc manufacturer's supplementary information                                      | n(16) bytes   |
| Over Gn+1 (155 to 2047) | reserved   | k(1892) bytes |

FIG. 9D

FIG. 10A

FIG. 10B

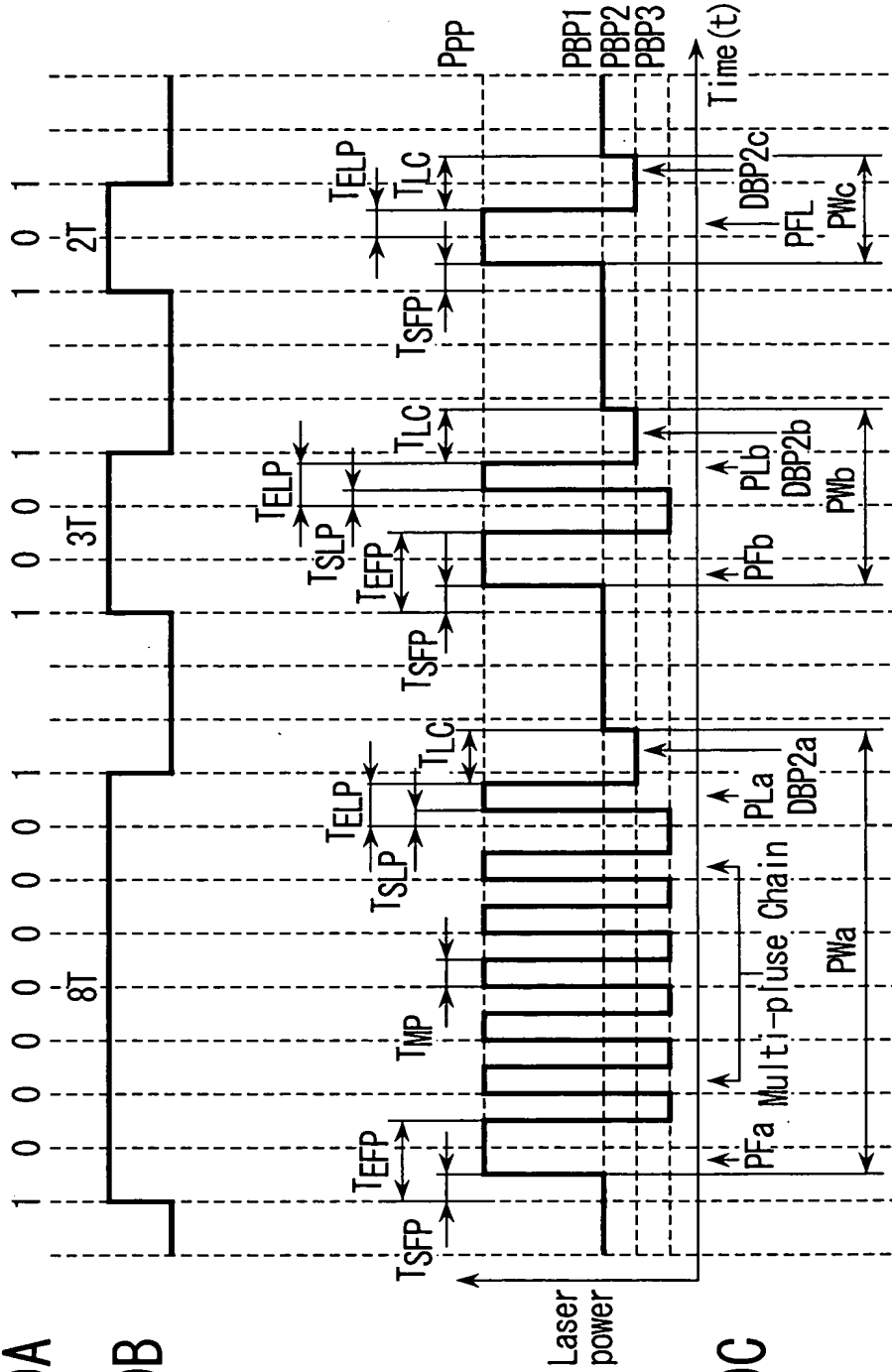


FIG. 10C

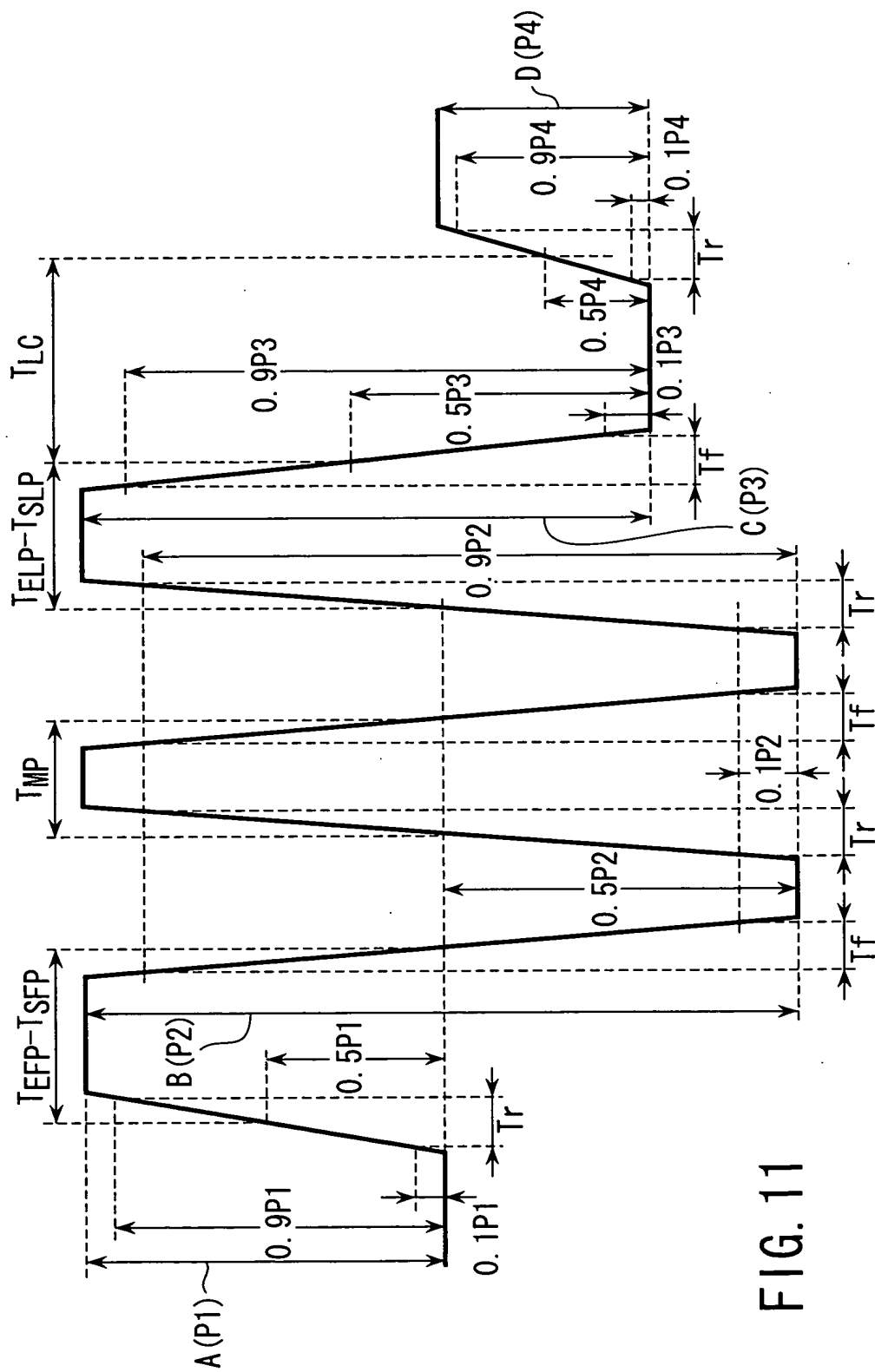


FIG. 11